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Appendix A - Estimated Employment and Origin of Seasonal Hired Agricultural Workers,
by State and Selected Agricultural Reporting Area 1/
July 1-15, 1962

Region, State, and agricultural reporting area	Total	U. S. Workers			Foreign				
		Total U. S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state	Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	Canadian & others
<u>U. S. Total</u>	1,219,453	1,148,836	871,471	86,685	190,680	70,617	65,038	4,024	1,555
<u>Eastern Seaboard</u>	337,379	333,343	268,938	6,539	57,866	4,036	0	3,821	215
<u>Connecticut</u>	13,280	12,000	8,770	0	3,230	1,280	0	1,280	0
Tobacco Valley	13,280	12,000	8,770	0	3,230	1,280	0	1,280	0
<u>Delaware</u>	4,803	4,803	2,723	0	2,080	0	0	0	0
<u>Florida</u>	24,010	21,836	20,801	700	335	2,174	0	2,174	0
Lake Okeechobee	4,369	3,656	3,316	300	40	713	0	713	0
Central Ridge	9,905	9,329	9,204	0	125	576	0	576	0
Tampa Bay	4,184	3,422	3,402	0	20	762	0	762	0
Other areas	5,552	5,429	4,879	400	150	123	0	123	0
<u>Georgia</u>	29,150	29,150	29,135	0	15	0	0	0	0
Savannah River	6,180	6,180	6,180	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	22,970	22,970	22,955	0	15	0	0	0	0
<u>Maine</u>	9,170	8,955	8,867	0	88	215	0	0	215
Aroostook County	6,715	6,500	6,500	0	0	215	0	0	215
Other areas	2,455	2,455	2,367	0	88	0	0	0	0

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<u>Maryland</u>	7,984	7,972	4,958	0	3,014	12	0	12	0
<u>Massachusetts</u>	13,177	12,833	11,280	0	1,553	344	0	344	0
<u>New Hampshire</u>	1,600	1,589	1,508	0	81	11	0	11	0
<u>New Jersey</u>	22,295	22,295	11,978	117	10,200	0	0	0	0
<u>New York</u>	26,234	26,234	12,181	890	13,163	0	0	0	0
Rochester	10,320	10,320	3,960	55	6,305	0	0	0	0
Other areas	15,914	15,914	8,221	835	6,858	0	0	0	0
<u>North Carolina</u>	119,730	119,730	107,389	3,221	9,120	0	0	0	0
Elizabeth City	10,400	10,400	6,450	200	3,750	0	0	0	0
Washington	10,600	10,600	9,400	500	700	0	0	0	0
Greenville	12,975	12,975	11,375	1,075	525	0	0	0	0
Mount Olive	50,000	50,000	48,875	300	825	0	0	0	0
Winston-Salem	8,185	8,185	6,989	826	370	0	0	0	0
Lumberton	6,325	6,325	6,150	0	175	0	0	0	0
Other areas	21,245	21,245	18,150	320	2,775	0	0	0	0
<u>Pennsylvania</u>	20,764	20,764	18,139	886	1,739	0	0	0	0
<u>South Carolina</u>	26,075	26,075	23,500	725	1,850	0	0	0	0
Upper Piedmont	14,575	14,575	13,825	50	700	0	0	0	0
Other areas	11,500	11,500	9,675	675	1,150	0	0	0	0
<u>Vermont</u>	850	850	761	0	89	0	0	0	0
<u>Virginia</u>	18,257	18,257	6,948	0	11,309	0	0	0	0
Eastern Shore Norfolk	14,579	14,579	3,378	0	11,201	0	0	0	0
Other areas	3,678	3,678	3,570	0	108	0	0	0	0

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<u>North Central</u>	215,776	213,813	118,908	18,953	75,952	1,963	1,834	129	0
<u>Illinois</u>	9,124	9,124	5,630	362	3,132	0	0	0	0
<u>Indiana</u>	4,203	3,959	2,263	786	910	244	244	0	0
<u>Iowa</u>	17,171	17,054	16,653	0	401	117	117	0	0
<u>Kansas</u>	24,250	24,150	15,080	3,675	5,395	100	100	0	0
Plains	18,250	18,170	11,000	3,000	4,170	80	80	0	0
Other areas	6,000	5,980	4,080	675	1,225	20	20	0	0
<u>Michigan</u>	82,910	82,343	27,143	11,453	43,747	567	567	0	0
Benton Harbor	9,500	9,500	2,600	1,000	5,900	0	0	0	0
Muskegon	14,275	14,275	2,275	5,000	7,000	0	0	0	0
Manistee	8,940	8,940	2,250	850	5,840	0	0	0	0
Traverse City	28,925	28,925	3,775	4,150	21,000	0	0	0	0
Bay City	6,925	6,458	3,673	125	2,660	467	467	0	0
Lansing	2,500	2,400	1,050	238	1,112	100	100	0	0
Upper Peninsula	8,675	8,675	8,675	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	3,170	3,170	2,845	90	235	0	0	0	0
<u>Minnesota</u>	12,263	12,263	6,709	101	5,453	0	0	0	0
<u>Missouri</u>	11,900	11,900	10,600	200	1,100	0	0	0	0
Bootheel	11,550	11,550	10,250	200	1,100	0	0	0	0
Other areas	350	350	350	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Nebraska</u>	<u>2,516</u>	<u>8,985</u>	<u>4,893</u>	<u>576</u>	<u>3,516</u>	<u>531</u>	<u>531</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Sugar Beet and Vegetable	736	553	217	62	274	183	183	0	0
Other areas	8,780	8,432	4,676	514	3,242	348	348	0	0
<u>North Dakota</u>	<u>9,730</u>	<u>9,730</u>	<u>4,851</u>	<u>1,329</u>	<u>3,550</u>	0	0	0	0
<u>Ohio</u>	<u>23,294</u>	<u>23,294</u>	<u>19,074</u>	<u>380</u>	<u>3,840</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Northwest	8,600	8,600	5,250	225	3,125	0	0	0	0
Other areas	14,694	14,694	13,824	155	715	0	0	0	0
<u>South Dakota</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Wisconsin</u>	<u>11,285</u>	<u>10,951</u>	<u>6,012</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>4,878</u>	<u>334</u>	<u>205</u>	<u>129</u>	<u>0</u>
East Central	7,769	7,435	3,558	61	3,816	334	205	129	0
Other areas	3,516	3,516	2,454	0	1,062	0	0	0	0
<u>South Central</u>	<u>309,351</u>	<u>289,135</u>	<u>257,247</u>	<u>28,958</u>	<u>2,930</u>	<u>20,216</u>	<u>20,142</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Alabama</u>	<u>5,990</u>	<u>5,990</u>	<u>5,471</u>	<u>519</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Opelika	1,800	1,800	1,800	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	4,190	4,190	3,671	519	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Arkansas</u>	<u>46,119</u>	<u>42,292</u>	<u>41,337</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>455</u>	<u>3,827</u>	<u>3,827</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Upper Mississippi R. Delta Cotton	18,630	17,003	16,878	0	125	1,627	1,627	0	0
St. Frances-Cache River Cotton	9,310	7,810	7,685	50	75	1,500	1,500	0	0
Central Mississippi R. Delta Cotton	5,200	4,500	4,470	0	30	700	700	0	0
Other areas	22,289	20,789	19,989	500	300	3,127	3,127	0	0
<u>Kentucky</u>	<u>11,089</u>	<u>11,089</u>	<u>10,774</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Pennyroyal	3,154	3,154	3,154	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Central	4,260	4,260	3,945	15	300	0	0	0	0
Other areas	3,675	3,675	3,675	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Louisiana</u>	<u>13,225</u>	<u>13,225</u>	<u>13,225</u>	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delta Cotton	4,625	4,625	4,625	0	0	0	0	0	0
Strawberry	2,150	2,150	2,150	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	6,440	6,440	6,440	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Mississippi</u>	<u>14,813</u>	<u>14,813</u>	<u>13,314</u>	<u>1,499</u>	0	0	0	0	0
Delta	12,835	12,835	12,043	792	0	0	0	0	0
Hill Supply	1,978	1,978	1,271	707	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oklahoma</u>	<u>19,410</u>	<u>19,410</u>	<u>15,600</u>	<u>2,860</u>	<u>950</u>	0	0	0	0
Southwestern	7,525	7,525	5,600	1,600	325	0	0	0	0
Other areas	11,885	11,885	10,000	1,260	625	0	0	0	0
<u>Tennessee</u>	<u>19,505</u>	<u>19,340</u>	<u>19,340</u>	0	0	<u>165</u>	<u>165</u>	0	0
Southwest	4,200	4,200	4,200	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	5,700	5,700	5,700	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	9,605	9,440	9,440	0	0	165	165	0	0
<u>Texas</u>	<u>179,200</u>	<u>162,976</u>	<u>138,186</u>	<u>23,565</u>	<u>1,225</u>	<u>16,224</u>	<u>16,150</u>	<u>74</u>	0
Llano-Coastal	10,060	9,438	9,438	0	0	622	614	8	0
Rio Grande Plains	15,305	14,382	14,382	0	0	923	904	19	0
Coastal Bend	6,500	6,498	6,498	0	0	2	2	0	0
Lower Rio Grande Valley	31,575	29,940	28,705	1,165	70	1,635	1,635	0	0
Trans-Pecos	3,595	825	825	0	0	2,770	2,767	0	0
Edwards Plateau	22,245	17,791	14,891	2,900	0	4,454	4,413	41	0
Northern Panhandle	6,205	5,979	4,689	865	425	226	223	3	0
High Rolling Plains	52,985	47,409	29,124	17,585	700	5,576	5,576	0	0
Cross Timbers	7,420	7,413	6,638	775	0	7	7	0	0
Central Texas	9,130	9,121	8,846	275	0	9	9	0	0
East Texas	11,775	11,775	11,745	0	30	0	0	0	0
Other areas	2,405	2,405	2,405	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Western</u>	356,947	312,545	226,378	32,235	53,932	44,402	43,062	0	1,340
<u>Arizona</u>	13,222	11,146	10,196	425	525	2,076	2,076	0	0
Maricopa	6,762	5,733	5,433	100	200	1,029	1,029	0	0
Yuma	1,650	700	650	25	25	950	950	0	0
Cochise	790	750	400	250	100	40	40	0	0
Other areas	4,020	3,963	3,713	50	200	57	57	0	0
<u>California</u>	162,400	126,400	94,860	21,230	10,310	36,000	34,660	0	1,340
Desert	10,600	5,950	4,350	1,250	350	4,650	4,560	0	90
South Coast	29,100	17,300	13,350	2,700	1,250	11,800	10,690	0	1,110
Central Coast	32,600	22,000	13,060	4,780	4,160	10,600	10,460	0	140
North Coast	2,900	2,900	1,550	900	450	0	0	0	0
San Joaquin Valley	74,400	67,200	55,300	9,100	2,800	7,200	7,200	0	0
Sacramento Valley	12,800	11,050	7,250	2,500	1,300	1,750	1,750	0	0
<u>Colorado</u>	15,188	12,402	7,200	1,155	4,047	2,786	2,786	0	0
San Luis Valley	2,494	1,532	1,032	150	350	962	962	0	0
Arkansas Valley	2,400	1,948	1,150	207	591	452	452	0	0
Northern Colorado	7,522	6,242	2,875	563	2,804	1,280	1,280	0	0
Other areas	2,772	2,680	2,143	235	302	92	92	0	0
<u>Idaho</u>	10,540	10,540	5,570	470	4,500	0	0	0	0
Southwestern	3,501	3,501	1,695	155	1,651	0	0	0	0
Other areas	7,039	7,039	3,875	315	2,849	0	0	0	0
<u>Montana</u>	9,714	8,770	4,063	1,684	3,023	944	944	0	0
So. Sugar Beet	2,345	1,695	770	450	475	650	650	0	0
Other areas	7,369	7,075	3,293	1,234	2,548	294	294	0	0
<u>Nevada</u>	595	565	256	120	189	30	30	0	0

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<u>New Mexico</u>	3,813	1,792	1,496	31	265	2,021	2,021	0	0
Hobbs	874	640	370	20	250	234	234	0	0
Las Cruces	1,234	377	352	10	15	857	857	0	0
Roswell	789	335	335	0	0	454	454	0	0
Other areas	916	440	439	1	0	476	476	0	0
<u>Oregon</u>	61,135	61,135	40,165	2,380	18,590	0	0	0	0
Williamette Valley	51,800	51,800	37,060	1,605	13,135	0	0	0	0
Other areas	9,335	9,335	3,105	775	5,455	0	0	0	0
<u>Utah</u>	11,796	11,373	9,408	305	1,660	423	423	0	0
<u>Washington</u>	64,469	64,469	51,094	4,260	9,115	0	0	0	0
Northwestern	30,785	30,785	25,500	1,535	3,750	0	0	0	0
South Central	8,916	8,916	5,833	489	2,594	0	0	0	0
North Central	4,570	4,570	3,160	590	820	0	0	0	0
West Central	11,495	11,495	10,786	125	584	0	0	0	0
Other areas	8,703	8,703	5,815	1,521	1,367	0	0	0	0
<u>Wyoming</u>	4,075	3,953	2,070	175	1,708	122	122	0	0

1/ Agricultural areas selected for inclusion are those areas in which a peak of at least 10,000 seasonal hired workers or 1,000 foreign workers was reached in 1961 as reported in In-Season Farm Labor Reports, ES-223. Data for each area satisfying these criteria are presented monthly in this appendix. However, areas are omitted during months for which they are not required to submit ES-223 reports. Such reports are not required for periods in which fewer than 500 seasonal hired farm workers are employed unless higher employment will be resumed after a "lay-by" period, foreign workers are employed, or specified shortages or surpluses of seasonal hired farm workers exist. Figures are preliminary and subject to revision.